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Explanation
of Status Codes

EXPLANATION OF STATUS CODES FOR PLANTS AND ANIMALS

U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE (USFWS)

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| FE | Federally listed endangered |
| FT | Federally listed threatened |
| FPE | Federally proposed endangered |
| FPT | Federally proposed threatened |
| FPD | Federally proposed for delisting |
| FC | Federal candidate species (former Category 1 candidates) |
| FSC | Federal special concern species (a "term of art" for former Category 2 candidates) |
| MBTA | Migratory Bird Treaty Act |

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME (CDFG)

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| SE | State listed endangered |
| SR | State listed rare |
| ST | State listed threatened |
| SCE | State candidate for listing as endangered |
| SCT | State candidate for listing as threatened |
| CSC | California special concern species |
| Fully Protected and Protected | Fully protected and Protected species may not be taken or possessed without a permit from the Fish and Game Commission and/or the Department of Fish and Game |
| Special Animal | Refers to all vertebrate and invertebrate taxa of concern to the Natural Diversity Database regardless of legal or protection status. |

WATCH LIST

The Watch List (compiled by the Audubon Society and partners in Flight) identifies species are those faced with population decline, limited geographic range, and/or threats such as habitat loss on their breeding and wintering grounds serving as an early warning system that focuses attention on at-risk bird species before they become endangered.

CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT

For plants with no current state or federal legal standing, "CEQA" refers to the fact that under the Act, impacts to species may be found significant under certain circumstances (e.g., the species are regionally sensitive and/or are protected by a local policy, ordinance, or habitat conservation plan; or the impact involves interference with certain movements or migrations, with wildlife corridors or with nursery sites).

CALIFORNIA NATIVE PLANT SOCIETY (CNPS)

LISTS

1A = Presumed extinct.

1B = Rare, threatened, or endangered in California and elsewhere. Eligible for state listing.

2 = Rare, threatened, or endangered in California but more common elsewhere. Eligible for state listing.

3 = Distribution, endangerment, and/or taxonomic information needed.

4 = A watch list for species of limited distribution. Needs monitoring for changes in population status.

R-E-D CODE

R (Rarity)

1 = Rare but found in sufficient numbers and distributed widely enough that potential for extinction is low at this time.

2 = Occurrence confined to several populations or to one extended population.

3 = Occurrence limited to one or a few highly restricted populations, or present in such small numbers that it is seldom reported.

E (Endangerment)

1 = Not endangered

2 = Endangered in a portion of its range

3 = Endangered throughout its range

D (Distribution)

1 = More or less widespread outside California

2 = Rare outside California

3 = Endemic to California